

VIENNA POLICE HIGHLIGHTS

December 06, 2013

The following summary contains various incidents of general interest as well as vehicular crashes handled by the Town of Vienna, Virginia Police Department from

November 29, 2013 – December 05, 2013. Readers are reminded that an "arrest" is based upon probable cause and does not always mean that someone was physically taken into custody. Furthermore, it does not mean that an individual is automatically guilty of a crime. Judicial outcomes and post-arrest proceedings can be researched through the appropriate court's website.

(VIENNA POLICE HIGHLIGHTS is not meant to be a listing of every incident or call handled by the Vienna Police, but merely a more substantive summary of several incidents, which may be of interest to the community. Some reports may be outside the date parameters due to extended investigations or other circumstances. Some cases are not included at all due to ongoing investigations. Please contact MPO Gary Lose for further information at glose@viennava.gov)

INCIDENTS

Police Service 13-12022 500 Block Kingsley Road, SW

Between November 10 at 7:54 a.m. and December 03 at 7:54 a.m.

A resident reported that his ex-girlfriend had been harassing him by showing up at his house and other locations where he frequents.

Officer Reedy contacted the ex-girlfriend and informed her of her ex-boyfriend's wishes for her to stop the harassment she agreed to comply with his wishes.

Vehicle Tampering 13-11924 400 Block Center Street, South

Between November 26 at 10:00 p.m. and November 29 at 8:00 a.m.

A resident reported that someone had attempted to enter his locked vehicle. He stated nothing appeared to have taken.

Arrest – Petit Larceny 13-11905

7-11

8616 Park Street, SE

November 28 5:40 p.m.

The Fairfax County Dispatch Center contacted the Vienna Police Department and stated that an individual had stole beer from the 7-11 and was heading north bound on Park Street, SE, riding a bicycle.

PFC Vazquez responded to the area and located an individual, matching the description given by Fairfax County. PFC Vazquez stopped the individual and upon his interaction with him he located the alleged stolen beer and also determined that he was extremely intoxicated.

PFC Vazquez arrested Mr. Donald A. Cunningham, 48, of Little River Turnpike in Annandale, Virginia for Drunk in Public and Petit Larceny.

Mr. Cunningham was transported to the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center where he was charged with Drunk in Public and Felony Larceny (3rd or Subsequent) and held without bond.

Business Alarm 13-11906 Westwood Country Club 800 Maple Avenue, East November 28 7:37 p.m.

An alarm company reported that a business alarm had been activated at the Westwood Country Club.

Officer Reedy responded and located an unlocked door in the front of the building. Officer Reedy along with PFC Vazquez searched the building and located a member who had not realized the Country Club had closed.

Officer Reedy notified a representative of the County Club and informed them of the incident.

Found Property 13-11923 John Marshall Drive and Glyndon Street, NE November 29 12:00 p.m.

An unknown citizen responded to the Vienna Police Station to turn in a wallet he had found. The wallet contained several credit cards however there was no address or telephone number to be found to help with locating the owner.

The wallet will be held at the Vienna Police Station until the owner can be located.

Grand Larceny 13-11946 McDonald's 544 Maple Avenue, West November 30 2:00 a.m.

A citizen reported she had left her cell phone in the restroom and left the restaurant. After realizing her mistake she returned however she was unable to find her phone.

This case is being investigated.

Medical Case 13-11985 1000 Block Westbriar Drive, NE November 30 12:16 p.m.

A resident reported that she found her deceased father in the family room of the residence.

A detective will follow up with this case.

Suspicious Event 13-11947 100 Block James Drive, SW November 30 7:34 p.m.

A resident reported that a man had been at his house and informed him that he was there to repossess his son's vehicle.

The son arrived and stated his payments for the vehicle had been current and the vehicle should not be in danger of being repossessed. The son stated he had previously received a call from a collection agency attempting to collect on a separate debt. The son informed the collection agency that the name they had was not his at which time they hung up.

Petit Larceny 13-11982 400 Block Victoria Court, NW

Between November 31 at 11:00 p.m. and December 01 at 11:46 a.m.

A resident reported that while taking a walk he discovered his bicycle lying on the sidewalk. He stated he had not known the bicycle had been taken.

Officer Kiley responded and after speaking with the resident he was informed that two of the resident's unlocked vehicles had also been entered and an undetermined amount of cash had been taken from the vehicles.

Suspicious Event 13-11987 200 Block Park Terrace Court, SE December 01 6:39 p.m.

A resident reported that she and her son had been involved in a heated argument after which he punched a hole in the wall.

Found Property 13-11988 W&OD Trail at Ayr Hill, NE

December 01 7:06 p.m.

An unknown citizen reported that a Diamondback brand bicycle had been abandoned near the W&OD Trail.

The bicycle will be held at the Vienna Police Station until the owner can be identified.

Domestic Dispute 13-11989 Valeview Court, NW December 01 8:08 p.m.

A resident reported that he and his wife had been involved in a heated argument. Both the husband and wife stated the argument had not turned physical.

Missing Person – Juvenile 13-12037 600 Block Glyndon Street, SE December 03 3:00 p.m.

A resident reported that he returned home from work and discovered that his son had not returned home from school at his scheduled time.

PFC Vazquez responded and while attempting to locate the son, at local establishments he was known to frequent, the father contacted him and stated the son had safely returned home.

Found Property 13-12038 Patrick Street at Park Street, SE December 03 4:44 p.m.

A citizen turned in a folder containing personal papers that he had found.

Officer Holcombe contacted the owner of the folder who stated she would respond to the police department to pick up the items.

Arrest – Driving While Intoxicated and Refusal 13-12050 Lawyers Road at Malcolm Road, NW December 04 1:36 a.m.

Officer Tremont responded to the area for the report of a crash that had just occurred (See Crash 13-12050 below). Upon his interaction with the driver he detected the signs of possible impairment. After failing to complete several field sobriety tests Officer Tremont arrested Ms. Bonnie Rea Brown, 38, of Carrhill Road in Vienna for Driving While Intoxicated.

Ms. Brown was transported to the Vienna Police Station for an analysis of her breath. Once at the police station Ms. Brown refused to provide the sample. She was then transported to the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center where she was charged with Driving While Intoxicated and Refusal to Submit to a Breath Test.

Ms. Brown was to be held pending the results of a bond hearing.

Suspicious Event 13-12069 600 Block Frederick Street, SW December 04 11:45 a.m.

A resident reported that his neighbor had dumped grass clippings near his house in an effort to provoke him. He stated he and his neighbor have been having ongoing neighbor disputes for several decades.

CRASHES

Maple Avenue near Pleasant Street, SW 13-11996 December 02 10:14 a.m.

The drivers of two vehicles were traveling east bound on Maple Avenue, West in adjacent lanes.

The driver of the vehicle in the rightmost lane attempted to change lanes and collided with the vehicle in the leftmost lane.

Maple Avenue near Center Street, South 13-12009 December 02 3:31 p.m.

The driver of a vehicle was attempting to exit a parking lot to enter onto Maple Avenue and struck a bicyclist that was traveling on the sidewalk.

Courthouse Road at Nutley Street, SW 13-12034 December 03 2:37 p.m.

The drivers of two vehicles were traveling east bound on Courthouse Road, SW and stopped for the red traffic signal at Nutley Street, SW.

The driver of the second vehicle stated she took her foot off the brake and drifted forward and struck the first vehicle.

900 Block Maple Avenue, East 13-12040 December 03 6:13 p.m.

The drivers of two vehicles were traveling west bound on Maple Avenue, East in adjacent lanes.

The driver of the vehicle in the leftmost lane stated that he had fallen asleep while sitting in heavy traffic and was only awoken when his vehicle struck the vehicle in the rightmost lane.

The drive of the striking vehicle was charged with Failure to Pay Full Time and Attention.

Lawyers Road at Malcolm Road, NW 13-12050 December 04 1:36 a.m.

The driver of a vehicle was traveling east bound on Malcolm Road, NW approaching Lawyers Road, NW.

The driver stated she must have forgot to apply the brakes and traveled through the intersection and struck the curb causing her vehicle to travel up over the curb and striking a stop sign before coming to rest against a tree.

Officer Tremont responded and after speaking with the driver he determined that she was intoxicated. (See Case 13-12050 above).

Patrick Street near Desale Street, SE 13-12091 December 05 8:21 a.m.

The driver of the first vehicle was traveling east bound on Patrick Street, SE.

The driver of the second vehicle was attempting to exit a parking lot and struck the first vehicle.

The driver of the second vehicle was charged with Failure to Yield the Right of Way.

CASE UPDATES

None.

MEDIA RELEASES

None.

OF INTEREST/ CITIZEN NOTES

Note to Citizens – Recently there have been reports of callers claiming to be a relative of the resident. The callers often disguise their voice in an order to confuse the resident and claim they had been on a trip to another country and either had been arrested or involved in a serious accident. The callers then request that the resident send them money in order to be released from jail or to pay for medical treatment. The payment is usually requested in the form of a prepaid debit card or a Western Union Transfer. This type of call is a scam. Never send a payment unless you have verified the validity of the caller.

Interested in becoming a Vienna police officer?

Consider joining one of the premier law enforcement agencies in Northern Virginia. The Town of Vienna Police Department offers a competitive salary, excellent benefits.

For application information please call 703-255-6350 or visit: http://agency.governmentjobs.com/vienna/default.cfm

Citizens are reminded to PLEASE call and report suspicious activity. Even if you choose not to provide your name or other personal information, we still need your help as extra eyes and ears in the community.

See or Hear Something? Say Something! We *WANT* to be Bothered! Call 9-1-1.

Please contact MPO Gary Lose for further information on any of these cases at glose@viennava.gov or 703-255-6396.